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New Equipment for the Street Dept.

This week the Street and Alley Division took delivery of a trailer mounted sewer jetter. This piece of equipment, while new to us, is a 2002 model previously owned by the city of St. Charles, Missouri.

Last year the Water & Sewer Division purchased a jetter truck. With the addition of the trailer mounted jetter Public Works has gained the flexibility to clean smaller diameter pipe, under 6", that the truck mounted jetter cannot.

Street and Alley will use the equipment primarily to clean culverts and storm sewers.



Looking Ahead

Troxler Avenue Pavement Repair -

In June the City Council approved an engineering agreement with Oates Associates of Collinsville, Illinois for the engineering to restore the pavement on Troxler Avenue.

The concrete, installed in 2000, has become uneven. Adding reinforcement bars at the transverse joints is just part of the solution that has been identified for this project.

It is hoped that this project will be bid and ready for construction during the summer of 2011.

Hemlock St. / US 40 Intersection Improvements-

The City Council, at their meeting on Monday August 16th, authorized an agreement with Oates Associates for preliminary engineering for improvements to the Hemlock / Route 40 intersection.

While the intersection does not meet IDOT requirements for a traffic signal, the additions of the proposed turn lanes in this phase will allow for easy installation of signals should they become warranted in the future. The entire project is scheduled to be engineered, bid, and constructed before the end of July 2011.

